

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Mitja V. HINDERKS

Serial No.: 08/477,703

Filed: June 7, 1995

For: A FLUID WORKING DEVICE



Group Art Unit: 3402

Examiner: N. Kamen

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

X Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For		Present Extra		Addit. Fee
TOTAL	<u>53</u>	minus	<u>20</u>	=	<u>33</u>	x\$11 =	<u>\$363.00</u>
INDEP.	<u>4</u>	minus	<u>8</u>	=	<u>0</u>	x\$41 =	<u>\$</u>

TOTAL: \$363.00

X A check covering \$ 363.00 is attached (No. 152).

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0873.

X Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

X Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

Under 37 CFR 1.129, Applicant respectfully requests that the Final Rejection mailed May 1, 1998 be withdrawn and the following amendment be considered:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 40-53 and 56-59 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend claim 54 as follows:

Claim 54 (Amended) A device for the working of fluids, said device having a cylinder assembly comprising a cylinder with internal circumferential depressions, a component with external circumferential projections and at least one structural member and a housing for said cylinder assembly, said external circumferential projections reciprocating in said internal circumferential depressions and both said cylinder and component having working surfaces defining at least one pair of torroidal fluid working chambers which in operation have cyclically variable volumes, said at least one structural member having

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